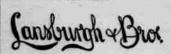
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Democrats Carry Off the Palm in Tariff Debate.

CHAPMAN STILL A FEATURE .

After Animated Discussions as to the Duty of the Senate in Defending Its Honor, an Executive Session Is Held and Cheatham is

The proceedings of the Senate yesterday The proceedings of the sense. of great public interest. Senators showed their hands in relation to the Chapman case, one of whom suggested that there was room for investigation of other Senators recently alleged to be speculating in stocks affected by Senate legislation; a bill was introduced by a Republican Senator for an appropriation of \$50,000 to relieve the distress of American citizens in Cuba, thus assuming the conditions on the island to be far from exaggerated, and the first specific debate on the tariff was precipitated, resulting largely to the advantage of the Democrats.

The introduction by Senator Gallinger of the matter of aid to Americans in Cuba was supposed to have been inspired at the White House, and although it does not necessarily imply interference between the Spanish and Cuban belligerents, it must be considered as a disbelief in Spanish profestations and may provoke opposition from the Spanish authorities at Madrid, It was undoubtedly the expectation of revelations to the public by Senator Morgan following the visit of a Senate subcommittee to the State Department and the White House on Wednesday that accounted for the large gathering early in the galleries during a heavy downpour of rain. This expectation was disappointed later in the day when Senator Morgan asked, for good and sufficient reasons, that the resolution go over till next Monday at 2 p. m.

The proceedings of public interest began y Senator Alien calling up his resolution relating to bringing Chapman to the bar ment was based largely on the position that the Senate owed it to itself that this be done. The position of Chapman was naturally one of desire to shield his friends from a similar punishment. read the testimony in the case to show that Chapman soled advisedly throughout

the case, denying the power of the Senate over him, and further admitting that he did not refuse to testify on the ground lest his evidence would incriminate him. In a government of law and order, like ours, said Senator Alien, it should not be said that it would tolerate this witness to o unpunished, and especially as the agent of a corporation which, it had been publicly states, and influence over the Senate itself. The mere incarceration of Chapman for a limited period was a bagatelle compared to making the Senate contemptible in the eyes of the world. At this point in his argument Mr. Allen was interrupted by questions from Senators Faulkner, White nd Spooner, going to the right of the Senate to act as indicated in the resolution.

Senator White injected a new issue into the case by denying the jurisdiction of the Senate at this time, on the ground that rial was beld under a statute, and that Mr. Chapman had been relegated to the courts by the Senate. He also assigned as an objection to the resolution that the Senate should not interfere with the parloning power which is exclusively held by

the Executive Department, Senator Hoar moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Privileges Mr. Daniel offered an amendment to this

the President's action, and asked that that committee report to the Senate a line Mr. Pettus remarked that the question

might be commenced de novo by the Senunnoint a new committee the old one, summon Chapman to testify again and, if he refused, they

Mr. Chandler then took a hand, sus taining the position that it was not improper that the Senate consider the Aien resolution, especially when It was stated that a petition in Chapman's inate, to which Mr. White responded that there was a difference in the case of the petition, because in the latter case the

Senators were acting as individuals Mr. Chandler, after stating that it was an old matter, proceeded to treat the matter lightly, by intimating that it would be an unfortunate thing if Chapman should be pardoned after the tribu-lation of the press, the newspapers and the courts. He saw no objection, how ever, to the resolution.

Mr. Chandler's remarks, or a part of hem, riled the senior Senator from South Carelina.

Mr. Tillman-I would like to ask this question: In the event that Chanman roes o jail, and suffers his punishment, is it be yond the jurisdiction of the Senate that he be brought here, the investigation be continued, and held for a new offense? Mr. Chandler wanted to know if Mr. Tiliman would remain standing while he answered. After some Senatorial badin

ige, Mr. Tillman exercised his prerogative of sitting down and sat down "I don't believe the witness has passed

beyond the Jurisdiction of the Senate, either theoretically or actually. Mr. Tillman-We are not after Chanman The real question was whether there was peculation in sugar stocks by Senators correspondents that three Senators had so speculated. The sum and substance of it was that we should do something or shutup.

ging We are after Havemeyer and other grandees. Either investigate the true 40 per cent ad valorem? Mr. Chandler-Yes, wit operators or bush Chandier-Yes, with reasonable

He thought it was a very serious ques tion and regrétted the flippancy with which it had been discussed by the Senator from New Hampshire. The Senate. Mr. Tillman said, had the power to punish ts own Finance Committee if it had been ought with reference to changes in the sugar schedule. It was a matter of notoricty, he said, that correspondents in the press gallery had stated facts reflecting on Senators over their own signatures. The matter could not be covered up with the flippancy and badinage of the Senator from New Hampshire. The charges of the newspaper men had produced another stench, not arising from a differential of a third of a cent, but one of two-thirds of a cent, favoring the trust. If Senators wanted a new investigation of Senators the charges had been made on which to proceed. If they wanted to get at the truth, let the Senate say so; if it did

not, it was time to hush. Mr. Tillman's remarks made a decided commotion in the galleries. At this point senator Morgan requested that the resolution go over until Tuesday, and such action was taken.

The Chapman matter was resumed. Mr. Hoar said that the Allen resolution contained false statements of law and of fact. In the first place, there was no

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adjudication by the Senate of contempt and he could therefore not be asked to purge himself of an offense he had not been convicted of. He advised that Chapman be brought here again, and if he refused to answer, to adjudge him guilty of the Supreme Court there was doubt as to have sufficient time to consider it, a to the authority of the Senate. That was cleared up now, and he thought Mr. Allen had acted judiciously.

Mr. Faulkner said that the resolution involved the serious question of law, whether the contempt did not cease with the last Congress. It is, therefore, an open question whether Chapman could ie beld now for the old contempt At least the perity" (Laughter.)
question might be referred to the Judiciary | Judge Lindsay had a great deal of fon Committee:

Mr. Gray said that Mr. Tillman had stated the real issue, that Chapman was not the real question, but the truth of certain charges against Senators for specu-lating in sugar stocks. It is true that all the Senators went before a committee and lenied the charges. Notwithstanding this, other persons were asked to testify and they refused to give evidence.

Mr. Lodge said that it was necessary to summon all the Senators, because Mr. Chap-man, while he said that Mr. Brice did not peculate, declined to answer as to others. Mr. Trilman read from the testimony before the committee to substantiate that

Mr. Gray argued further that the Sen ate had lost jurisdiction by allowing the case to be settled under the act of 1857. It would be an impertinence now to in-terfere with the President. He did not, however, think that it would be wrong for individual Senators to state their opinions of the President. He denied Chapman again. He did not think a He did not think that any part of this Government had unlimited power over the life or liberty of an individual, and he thanked God for it. We could not use our prerogative to work our will on citizens.

The Senate could organize another committee and renew the investigation; not to pursue witnesses, but to as-

The question of referring the matter to the Judiciary Committee, as suggested by Mr. Paulkner, or to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, as moved by Mr. Hoar, was discussed. Mr. Allen made some remarks on these propositions, saying that minittees, as was done with his resolution in sympathy with the Greeks. Event ally Mr. Hear withdrew his motion, and the resolution, with Mr. Allen's consent, went to the Judiciary Committee. The Sounte then went into executive session as recorder of deeds for the District of Co-

A breezy tariff debate followed the Populists.

Senator Aldrich stated that, in view of parative statement, he would not call the tariff bill up on Tuesday, but would be able to call it up for at least a preiminary statement on Thursday next. If not then, on the following Monday.

Senator Jones made a statement in which referred to the promises as to when the comparative statement would be ready and the reasons which had made it impossible to fulfal them, and especially the errors which had crept into the first draft Speaking for the Democrats, be said "There is desire on our part to delay the consideration of the bill, but I believe a reason atte time should be given for its considers on." He hoped that the bill would not be

taken up earlier than Monday week Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, desired to know if set speeches were to be made by the other side. Mr. Jones did no kinow of any, which moved Mr. Hawley to suggest that if there were any set speeches they could be made before the bill was taken up. Mr. Gallinger then proceeded with a set hat at Boston, where the value of imported wool in April, 1896, was \$814,000, this April It was \$10,000,000, and what

was true of this, he said, was true of other foreign products Mr. White, of California, said that he sould only regard this as a lecture to the remorrats. He had no doubt of the great importation of foreign wool, and he had no doubt that the foreign sheep were producing it under contract. He did not think it fair to intimate that the Democrats were at all responsible for any delay

n tariff legislation. Mr. Chandier hereupon made a sarcastic speech, in which he quoted ex-President Buchanan, in 1824, "The only Demo-ratic President in recent years," to show that he was a protectionist from his argument on the tariff on cotton bag-

Senator Lindsay-Will the Senator agree to the Buchanan idea of nothing above

atitade Chandler by stating that in these days of steam navigation there was ample

tariff of 50 per cent. (Laughter and applause.)

"He proceeded to arraign the idea of the tariff, comparing it to a give and take policy, giving to the manufacturers and taking from the consumers. Mr of contempt. He disagreed with Senator Chandler that Mr. Allen was late in pressing their tariff under consideration now for his minority report. Before the dec.sion

> Mr. Gallinger said that it was the ex-pectation of a return to power of the Democrats five years ago that was responsible for the evils after that time.
> "Why then," inquired Mr. Lindsay, "if that be true, is it that the election of Mr. McKinley has not produced pros

out of Mr. Hear, quoting him substantially as saying that as the wool-growers fixed the tariff to suit themselves, they not object to telling the manufacturers

to fix it to suit themselves.

Mr. Hoar indignantly denied that he said any such thing, but Senator Gray produced the Record from which Judge Lindsay read in defense of his under standing of what he had related of Mr. Honr; all the Democrats, at least, believ

ing that Judge Lindsay was correct.
At another point in the debate, Mr. Hawley denied that 5 cents a pound on raw wood would increase prices to the consumer. "If it doesn't," replied Mr. Lindsay "why should there be a compensatory duty to the manufacturer?"

Mr. Aldrich-Will you say that the tariff of 5 cents on wool increases its

Mr. Lindsay-If it be correct that the 5 cents tariff does not increase the price, on what theory do you give the 20 per cent compensatory duty? I know it is that if the 5-cent tariff does not increase the price, an unmistakable fraud is being prac ticed on the wool growers of this country order to vindicate the "dignity" of the (Laughter.) Every time you tax a thing it costs the consumer inore.

Mr. Aldrich - Then you'll admit the the

> grower. you charge him four times as much for the manufactured product; and the man who lias no wool to sell is robbbed both by

the wool grower and the wool manu-facturer. (Applause.) There were about 10,000,000 people engaged in the wool business, and therefore 60,000,000 people were being robbbed for their benefit. (Ape.) A tariff was a tax: there no difference between a sentimental tariff and an actual tax.

Mr. Hoar proposed to prove that a tariff, was not a tax, but Judge Lindsay had to time for metaphysics.

Mr. Chandler profided Judge Lindsay with his change from the principles of the Democratic platform of 1892 to those of the Palmer-Buckner platform of 1896. In 1892 be was for incidental protection in 1896 he was on a free trade platform, denouncing both the Democrats and the

He said the Republican party would give the cotton growers a 27 per cent advaloren-duty on cotton bagging. That was what the Republicans would give. What would Kentucky give on the "give-and-take" policy referred to by Judge Lindsay? (Laughter

As to the present tariff bill, he regarded it as an ideal measure. Mr. White-As it came from the House

or as it comes from the Senate? (Laugh-Mr. Chandier-It is ideal in most respects Mr. White-Now, as we are both seeking

the ideal, will you say in what respects the bill is imperfect? Mr. Chandler replied that all tariff bills had defects, even the Wilson bill, which had been prepared by Democratic intel lects, such as they were (laughter), but

he had no doubt they tried to make it ideal Mr. White-I wouldlike to inquire whether the Senator from New Hampshire thinks the sugar duty suggested by the House bill or that in the Senate bill the ideal

Mr. Chandler-Mr. President, I haven't examined either of them (laughter), but I shall answer that question after considera-

Mr. Chandler-I would like the Senator from California to answer this question Will you say whether you are in favor of protecting American industries?

Mr. White-When the bill is being considered in detail I will answer that question with great pleasure. (Laughter and applause on both sides.)

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The strawberry festival and lawn party which will be given this afternoon at "Holmead" by the Guild of St. Thomas' Church, will be a very enjoyable affair, and it is probable that society will attend very largely. Holmead is the beautiful place with extensive grounds which belongs to Mrs. John R. McLean, and by whom it has situated at Nineteenth and 8 streets north-

Mrs. B. W. Gillis, of New York, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Doyle, No. 1604 Vermont avenue.

Mrs. William Schofield-Hoge and 1er daughter, Mrs Savage, will be at home this afternoon at No. 1402 Fifteenth street.

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success always crowns them Among there are Mrs. Jack Rodgers, Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. James Johnston, Mrs. Audenried, and Miss Schenck.

## NEWS FROM ALEXANDRIA

Appointment of Love to the Judgeship Well Received.

Candidates for the Position of Commonwealth Attorney-Death of the Rev. Thomas E. Locke.

Alexandria, Va., May 13 -In the co poration court today the will of Mr. Anthony G. Cazenove was admitted to pro executor. The estate is estimated at \$150,000. The will contains a legacy of \$1,500 to Christ Church, in this city, proiding that the family pew of the testator be forever made a free pew for the use of strangers, in memory of his father, William G. Cazenove. The sum of \$6,500 is bequeathed to the Episcopal Theological Seminary, in memory of the testator's sister, Constance Gardner Cazenove-Waller,

who died about ten years ago.

The balance of the estate is left to the relatives of the deceased

A special meeting of the Hydraulion Fire Company was held tonight to consider an invitation from R. E. Lee Camp to participate in the memorial exercises May 24. The invitation was nocepted.

Motor car No. 11, of train No. 104, was on fire When the train pulled into the electric railway station here at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon

Officer Roberts this evening for assault-

ing Edward Coates.

The fire is supposed to have been caused y a bot box Love, of Fairfax county, to the judgeship

of the courts of Fairfax and Alexandr counties, made vacant by the death of Judge Chichester, was not a surprise to the members of the bar of this city. Mr. Love has been commonwealth's attorney for Fairfax county for many years, and highly esteemed. When he retires from hat pos'tion to accept the judgeship, it will devolve upon him to appoint his suc

So far there are two candidates, Messrs R. E. Thornton and C. V. Ford. On account of rain the ball game to have been played this afternoon between the Centrals and the Y. M. S. L. teams was

postponed until Tuesday next.

The electoral board has appointed Mr. Edwin E. Padgett, ir., judge of election for the Friendship precinct, vice Mr. Louis Brill, resigned.

A strawberry festival was given tonight at Odd Fellows' Hall by the ladies of the M. E. Church South. Benjamin Johnson, a colored boy, was ar

rested today, charged with stealing a pair of shoes from Mr. Maxwell McCracken. The funeral of Mr. J. Adam Schwab took place this afternoon from the home of his father, on North Royal street. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boothe have returned

from their wedding trip. Rev. Thomas E. Locke, an old and es-teemed minister of the Episcopal church in Virginia, died yesterday evening at Oakand, the residence of his son-in-law, Dr.

D. N. Rust, near this city. Edward Grayson, colored, charged with assentting Dan Corbin, also colored, and Richard Bowman, charged with being drunk and disorderly, were fined \$5 each in the

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